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Applicant:	Kim et al.	Art Unit:	1634
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NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

Applicants respectfully appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated February 27, 2009, in which the Office finally rejected claims 1-3, 7, 8 and 10-12 of the above-captioned patent application.

Enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is a Petition to extend the period for replying to the final rejection for 3 months, to and including August 27, 2009.

Applicants authorize the Office to charge \$270 to Deposit Account No. 03-2095 for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1) for this Notice of Appeal.

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Respectfully submitted,

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